CHAPTER 4-07-14 FUNERAL LEAVE

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4-07-14-01. Scope of chapter. This chapter applies to all state and local government agencies, departments, institutions, and boards and commissions that employ individuals in positions classified by human resource management services.

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General Authority: NDCC 54-44.3-12 Law Implemented: NDCC 54-44.3-12(1)

- **4-07-14-02. Definitions.** The terms used throughout this chapter have the same meaning as in North Dakota Century Code chapter 54-44.3, except:
 - 1. "Family" means husband, wife, son, daughter, father, mother, stepparents, brother, sister, grandparents, grandchildren, stepchildren, foster parents, foster children, daughter-in-law, and son-in-law.
 - 2. "Funeral leave" means an approved absence from work, with pay, of up to twenty-four working hours, provided to an employee to attend or make arrangements for a funeral, as a result of a death in the employee's family, or in the family of an employee's spouse.

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4-07-14-03. Granting leave. An appointing authority may grant a request for a funeral leave even if the absence of the employee might interfere with the normal operations of the agency.

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4-07-14-04. Not considered sick leave or annual leave. An agency may not consider funeral leave as sick leave or annual leave.

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